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THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT WAS RELEASED BY THE KOREAN EMBASSY, WASHINGTON, SEPTEMBER 7:
QUOTE
OBVIOUSLY THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA IS CONCERNED WITH ANY ACTIVITIES BY ANY OF ITS CITIZENS THAT IMPUGN THE HONOR AND INTEGRITY OF THE PEOPLE OF KOREA AND THEIR GOVERNMENT.
IN THE CASE OF KOREAN BUSINESSMAN TONG SUN PARK THAT CONCERN SHOULD BE OBVIOUS. AND MORE SO TODAY WITH HIS INDICTMENT BY A U.S. DISTRICT COURT GRAND JURY.
THE FACT OF THE MATTER IS THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA HAS NEVER APPOINTED TONG SUN PARK AS
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AN AGENT AND WHAT HE DID OR DID NOT DO WAS NOT DONE WITH THE FOREKNOWLEDGE, APPROVAL OR COOPERATION OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA. OUR GOVERNMENT DOES NOT CONDONE ILLEGAL ACTS ON THE PART OF ANY CITIZEN ANY MORE THAN OTHER GOVERNMENT SHOULD OR DOES. UNQUOTE
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